Remember Gleichen's First Annual Two Days Exhibition and Races---October 14 and 15, 1908

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THE GLEICHEN French-Canadian Colonist Arrive A LONDON TIMES **EXHIBITION**

"Nothing succeeds like success" is an ancient phrase, but when backed up by hard work is none the less true, this is just now being proved by the directors of the Gleichen District Agricultural Association, who started out with vim to make their first annual exhibition the best possible. They succeeded in getting good committees appointed whose work is resulting in the best possible evidence of success. These committees have been working untiringly and now have the entire country with them in the hope of making the first fair one that will be a fitting start for the prosperous district destined to be the most thickly populated section of the last best west,

A meeting of the directors was held, Friday evening when many importan untters were discussed and it was decided to hold another tomorrow night to complete the details as nearly as possible, At the meeting it was decided to offer special prizes of \$3, \$2 and \$1 for the best bead work done by the Black foot Indiane, and Mr. Henderson offered a special cash prize for the best writing and drawing done by the school children of this district. For refreshment stands a charge of \$10 e.ch was made and also 50 cents per foot made for all space to be occupied by private displays in the fair building. It was resolved that the dance to be given Thursday evening should be given free at the Association's expense. The meeting adjourned after arranging to meet the following morning at the exhibition building to lay out the plan for the various classes of exhibits.

Entry forms are now in good demand and already many fine exhibits have been recorded. On Tuesday afternoon two ranchers entered 30 separate exhibits, all but two of them being horses. Another big entry is 700 brood mates with colts at foot, while many other ranchers and farmers have signified their intentions of making big displays.

It would occupy altogether too much space to ennumerate all the exhibits to be made and for the present it can only be said that the most sanguine expectations will be surpassed.

The first day will be devoted entirely to the exhibition, while the second day will be given over to sports, races, etc., although the exhibits inside the building will be held until noon, when they will be cleared for the dance.

The Races

The committee in charge of the races ing completed all of their arrangements, but, they do not hesitate to state that a good day's sport will be provided. They have not fully decided upon the prizes nor the full list of events, but have given The Cail the following items which it will contain:

One-Mile Horse race Half-Mile race Quarter-Mile race Quarter-Mile Pony race, under 14.2 Half-Mile Indian race . Quarter-Mile Indian race Quarter-Mile Squaw race Quarter-Mile Children's race Jumping Contest for horses 100-Yard Dash 50-Yard Boys race 50-Yard Girls race 8-Legged race Quarter-Mile Foot race.

A Few Pointers For all or any information apply to

Secretary H. R. Cory. All entry forms should be filled and reach the Secretary by 6 p.m. Saturday,

All exhibits should be in the building ly 6 p.m. Tuesday, the 18th.

Rev. Father J. A. Ouellette arrived Saturday morning at Gleichen from Montreal with thirty French-Canadian farmers to show them the township of land he took up in July last. The party spent the first day looking over the farms in this vicinity and Sunday drove out to the colony property, twelve miles northeast of town. Since then they been examining it and making a thorough investigation of conditions generally. Most of the party have also gone up to Calgary and made entery to purchase some of the land. One man has decided to remain here with his wife and family and will move out to his property as soon as he had seen in this district. Mr. Crandall, can erect the necessary buildings. The others will arrange of the Irrigation Co., introduced Mr. Irefor improvements and many intend to return here next spring to start breaking.

The party comprise as fine and intelligent appearing may say I have been in some unknown a lot of men as ever visited this place and will make a splendid addition to our farming community.

Father Oaellettee intends bringing 600 families to his colony and if they are all of the same class there will be much to thank him for.

All live stock should be in place by Il a. m. Wednesday, the 14th.

The dance Thursday evening will be free and refreshments may be obtained at the stands.

Provision will be made for live stock on the vacant lots opposite the exhibi tion building.

Enter early and save trouble. Admission to the exhibition is free.

All exhibitors must agree to abide by the judges decisions. The judges will not be local men but officials sent by the Provincial Government at Edmonton, who will give their

reasons for awarding each prize. Diplomas will be awarded for every exhibit made not provided for on the

BON'T SELL GRAIN

C. J. Frogley, representing a firm of leading grain merchants in Winnipeg, has been in Edmonton recently and has been saying some things which are not only interesting but surprising. He advises farmers not to sell their grain but to feed it to their hogs. This sounds rather strange from a man who is looking for a large grain supply, but he claims the more grain farmers feed hog's the more his firm will be able to buy. He claims that neither Alberta or any other country can reach the zenith of its greatness by g-ain growing alone, and that with the large packing Mary Holup, Dotta Walbeck, Romeo and sports have not at the present write plant just opened at Edmonton, the farmers have the market they want right at home for their po diversified interests guarantees success. When the farmer is successful he naturally grows more grain. He further states that this has been fully tested in the country near Red Deer, and that the same section is the most prosperous of any he knows west of the Red River. He said: "Two things go hand in handstock growing and prosperity." There is more grain in Alberta than commission men had estimated, but he thinks quite a percentage of the oats have been touched by frost, and urges great caution about mixing the oats so affected with the better grain, not only as regards seed grain, but with that which is offered for sale. While frost-nipped oats are likely to bring a good price for feed, if mixed with others, they would affect greatly the grading of the whole lot. Another opinion given by Mr. Frogly is that within a few years the largest flour mills in the world will be located some-

> The regular meetings of the Gleichen second fuesday of each month at 8 p.m.

where in Alberta.

Standard VI-Olga Ostrander, Kathrine Gooderham, Hazel McPhee.

Gleichen School Report

Standard V-Pember Ostrander, Emma Jones, Ishbel Gooderham, Elsie future." Miller, Arthur Jones, Jimmie MaBean Standard IV- Kenneth McPhes, Jos Marshall, May McClellan, Viol. Cellan, Edith Jones, Mamie By ber,

Murton Campbell, Doncan McBean. Standard III - Florence Telford, Clar ance Evans, Willie Gray, Jean Gooder erhan, Walter James, Lulu Barber, Rod Gooderham, Eric Dickenson, Lula Ser

A. D. McDonald, teacher

Standard II Sr .- Ethel Telford, Lucy Marshall, Grace McPhee, Florence Wishart, Cora Campbell, Mable Telford, Douglas James, Victor Beaupre, Lottie Walbeck.

Standard II Jr .- Johnny McBean, Rupert Hunter, Bena Brereton, Ada articles on this section. Steel.

Standard I Sr. - Jimmie Service, Les lie Brereton, Meshick Naylor, Frank Cosgrave, Florence Watheck.

Standard I Jr. - Bessie Telford, Isaac Allen, Austin Allen, Duncan Canipbell Primer. Class III-Charlie Jones, Jamie Telford, Rosie Service, Harry Landels, May Jones, Nellie Gray.

Class Il- Nora Cosgrave, Fred Barber, Lottie Rodbourne, Blake Barber, Mollie Congrave, Reginald Snowden,

Class I-Edwin Service, Wilfred

Miss M F. Tingley, teacher

C. A. Magrath, the conservative car didate for this riding, spent from last Thursday afternoon ustil Saturday in and about tileichen, with his friends Mr. Magrath came with the intention of visiting Rosebud, Dorothy and other northern points to hold meetings, but the weather was very unfavorable for travelling and he decided to abandoned his trip for the time. While here he held no public meetings but took the opportunity of meeting many farmers who were hauling grain to town and personally interviewing many other friends and electors. Mr. Magrath gave The Call a pleasant visit while in town, but talked little concerning the election further than intimating that be considered his election on the 26th was quite safe.

A. G. Hamar has commenced the erection of a residence on his lots on and District Board of Trade are held the Pleasant ridge, in the east end of the

MAN IN GLEICHEN

Alleyne Ireland Never saw a Wheat Country as Good as Gleichen

Alleyne Ireland, a representative of London, Eng, Times, spent l'useday inspecting the farms in the vicinity of Gleichen and yesterday ex amining the coal mines on the Blackfoot Indian reservation. Tuesday even ing he spent a pleasant hour at The Call office and had many complimentary things to say concerning the things he land as a gentleman who had visited nearly every known part of the globe and Mr. Ireland added, "Yes, and I

In the course of convergation Mr. In land said :

"I have been in all the great, when growing countries of the world and I can safely say I have never seen any as good as you have right here at Glei chen. We have been out looking at the land and crops this afternoon and the are truly wonderful, and I may say that with such land and crops your little town cannot do otherwise then become an important centre in the very nea

The talk then drifted to many cut ets and countries from which it was fearned Mr. Ireland has been a writer for numerous prominent old country newspapers and magazines and also a him. writer of stories and books. The latter being principally of a scientific nature. He has also been a sailor for three years before the mast, and can plant and manufacture sugar from the cane. At the present time the only newspaper he represents is the well-known "Thunderer"-The London Times. He is a genial gentleman to meet and from the fact that he is so favorably impressed with his visit here it is safe to predict that his pen will produce some good readable

The roof is now being put on the new elevator and the Alberta Pacific Elevator Co. will soon be filling it up with Glei-

F. Browning of Toronto has purchased J. E. Kifenp's interest in the Star Bakery and Lunch Counter and under the firm name of Notter & Browning the business will be continued and improved.

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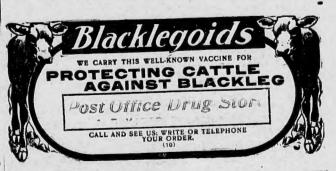
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Jack Bein was in from the Two Bar J. Dafoe was taken seriouely ill last ranch for a couple of days last week week with apendicitis, but under Dr. meeting old friends. He only gets to Farquharson's treatment recovered town two or thee times a year and his sufficiently to in removed to Calgary numerous friends are always glad to see Saturday, where he may go under an

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W. PARK EVANS, -

· Publisher and Proprietor.

Gleichen, Alberta, October 8, 1908.

Electors Qualifications.

Many new residents are inquiring as to what are the qualifications in order to enable them to vote in view of the Dominion elections on the 26th. Briefly stated the franchise is as follows:

"Every male person shall be qualified to vote at the election of a member who, not being an Indian, is a British subject and of twenty-one years of age, and has resided in the province for at least twelve months and in the electorial district where he seeks to vote for at least three months immediately preceding the issue of the writ of election, provided, however, that an elector may only vote at the polling station of the polling division in which he is a resident at the time of voting."

The province of Alberta has as yet no properly prepared voters' list. The Dominion Government, however, is appointing enumerators for the compilation of a voters' list for the election. The enumerators will make a house to house canvass both in the towns and rural districts. The prepared lists will be posted in public places eight days before the election.

In previous years an elector could swear in his vote at any poll. This year he must vote where he resides at the time of the election. If by any chance a man's name is omitted by the enumerators he can swear in his vote at the poll in which he resides at election day.

The Gleichen exhibition next Wednesday and Thursday can have only one drawback and that the weather, but there is no good reason to fear it, and all will at least hope that the weather man will be favorably inclined for the occasion. In every other respect the fair promises to far exceed in every direction the first expectations of the directors. Already many entries have been secured and hundreds of others are promised. In this connection it may be well to state that a number of entries have been made of articles not included in the prize list and for which diplomas will be given. The various committees had only a very limited time in which to prepare the prize list and consequently many items were omitted, but in order that all worthy exhibits should be recognized it was determined to grant diplomas for all not otherwise provided for. By so doing a good idea can be obtained for the making up of the prize lists in future years. The Call has printed the diplomas and believes the workmanship sufficiently artistic to warrant the recipients placing them in their parlors.

An exchange offers this timely advice. Those of our new settlers who came from across the line should use their common sense in determining which party to vote for. Read both sides of the question, and after serious deliberation decide for yourself which candidate deserves your vote. Do your own thinking, and don't accept the proffered advice of the professional politician to vote for the party which he advocates. Lastly when discussing political questions, do it quietly and without temper. It doesn't pay to fall out with your neighbors over politics.

Many a business man will talk interestingly of his wares for an hour to one lonely customer, quoting prices, quality, etc., etc., but the same man will seldom spend fifteen minutes to talk to a thousand people at once through a newspaper, and like as not he will tell you advertising don't pay. Of course, it don't pay unless it is done right. Tell the readers about anything you have to sell as you do in your place of business and they will soon look for your bargains and comments.

Here is a clause from the new Election Act that if properly enforced will keep the police busy and stop a lot of knockers who make the lives of a candidate unhappy:

"Any person who before or during an election for the purpose of affecting the return of any candidate at such election makes or publishes any false statement of fact in relation to the personal character or conduct of such candidate shall be liable to a fine not exceeding \$500 and costs and not less than \$100 and costs, or in default of payment of ruch fine and costs to imprisonment for a term not exceeding two years and not less than six months with or without hard labor.

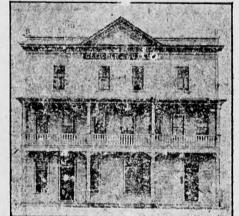
The High River Times is responsible for this little bit of advice: If there is a chance to boom business, boom it. Don't put on a long face and look as though you had a stomach ache. Hold up your head, smile and look for better things. Hide your little hammer and try to speak well of others, no matter how small you may know yourself to be, and you will be the happier for it.

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It is curious how little the average person knows about Jupiter. He has heard a lot, too much perhaps, about Mars, but that world, 1,300 times the size of ours, whirling in the terrible outer distance of space with its five moons, its 144 months yearly, known as Jupiter is almost if not quite a mys

In the first place, Jupiter, according to some astronomers, is inhabited. So are some of its moons, in the midst of which the great planet spins around like a top at such tremendous speed that it causes around the equator a furious wind that blows perpetually at a rate of about 250 miles an hour.

In the midst of this never ending, howling gale live the Jovians. Some astronomers say that because Jupiter is so much bigger and heavier than the earth no creature of any weight can support itself. A man weighing 200 pounds on this earth would, if carried to Jupiter, weigh 500 pounds, and, reasoning thus, they believe that nothing bigger than a cat could stand on this vast world. But this is no doubt a mistake. If

But this is no doubt a mistage. It Jupiter stood still or revolved no faster than our earth all that astronomy says would be true, and a terrestrial man could not stand upon its surface. But as a fact the tremendous rate of revolution is so much faster than the earth's that in spite of its monstrous size it turns about in less than ten hours as against our twenty-four

As it is, a man of normal earthly size, if transported to the equator of Jupiter, would actually feel much lighter than he does here on earth, belighter than he does here on earth, oc-cause the swift rotation of the planet would almost lift him from his feet and throw him into the heavens. He would feel so light that the 250 mile an hour tornado that blows incessant-ly would pick blim up and carry him around and around the planet like a succk of dust.

around and around the planet like a speck of dust.

In order to keep on his feet the Jovian man or woman would have to be about fifty feet tail. Some of them would doubtless reach the height of fifty-five feet. Like all big bodileter by Jovian would have a tendency to showness of motion. Having once scated himself, he would spend'a good twelve hours at his breakfast and perhaps eighteen at his dinner and would probably throw up his job if his employer allowed him less than six hours for his lunch.

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The oceans of Jupiter, torn into fury by the hurricanes, would pay no attention to one moon such as moves the tides on our earth, and it takes no fewer than five of these satellites to perform this work for Jupiter. They travel at various rates of speed, some flying very close to Jupiter's surface and others far off. They have atmospheres somewhat like ours on earth, and a moonlight on Jupiter is indeed a giorious sight, for these moons have a variety of colors. Two are blue, one is yellow and one red.

Jupiter needs all its moons at night for illumination, for without them its five hours of darkness would be black indeed. So distant is the san that broad daylight is hardly brighter than twilight on earth, and one ione moon would not reflect enough of the sun's rays to guide the Jovian footsteps.

would not reflect enough of the sun's-rnys to guide the Jovian footsteps. In the polar and semipolar areas the 250 mile an hour tornado of the equa-tor is not present. Doubtless there are eddies and occasional windstorms such as there are on earth. And in these localities it is possible for smaller creatures to exist, and here, too, vege-tation would flourish. The food sup-ple of lunter must come from these ply of Jupiter must come from these areas, where it is cultivated and ship-ped to the equatorial regions by the diminutive races. The polar oceans

diminutive races. The polar oceans are not frozen because of the great internal heat of Jupiter. And on these still oceans probably ships not greatly different from ours ply, but about the equator the anending storm would make surface sailing impossible. If there are ships at all at the equator they are submarines, which dive into the caim depths beneath the surface. Locomotion by flying machines is extremely easy on the equator because, by taking advantage of the wind, the Jovians can navigate sheir planet at tremendous speed.

It is possible that because of the noise in the wind swept equator the Jovian is deaf.

noise in the wind swept equator the Jovian is deaf.

Quite likely, on the other hand, he has good ears, but with a device, either artificial or contributed by nature, for stopping his ears, except when he wishes to listen.

This tremendous, good natured Jovian has a leather-like skin to protect himself from the scratches of flying things and a device for sifting the air that he breathes, for Jovian atmosphere is full of dust, and in spite of the difficulties of his existence he is a long lived gentleman. On the average long lived gentleman. On the average be exists for about 800 of our years. Probably many a Jovian exists a full thousand of our little years.

None of us may know when the echo careless word will cease vibrating the hearts of some that hear.

STICKING TO THE POINT.

The Question That Won a Good Posi-tion For a Boy.

A lawyer wanted an apprentice and placed an advertisement in the local

A lawyer wanted an apprentice and placed an advertisement in the local paper. A number of boys replied, so he gathered them all together in his office at once and looked them over. He found it pretty hard to make a choice, but at length a happy idea struck him.

"Once upon a time," he said, "a farmer was very much annoyed by a huge rat that made a very comfortable living by feeding upon his grain and other products. He tried traps of all kinds to catch it, but the wily rodent evaded them all and apparently enjoyed the game of hide and seek that the farmer had devised for its recreation. One day, however, as the farmer turned the corner of a haystack, carrying a gun in his hand, he spied the troublesome rodent at the edge of the hay. Instantly raising his gun, he fired, but the blazing gun wad dropped among the hay."

among the lay"—

Here the lawyer stopped, and, looking at the boys, he said, "If any of you want to ask a question, write it on a piece of paper." Each did as sug-gested, and here are some of the ques-tions that were asked:

tions that were asked:
"Did he set the hay on fire?"
"Was the stack burned to the ground?"
"Did the farmer have his hay in-

"Was the fire engine near at hand?"

"Was the rat killed?"
The boy that asked the last question was chosen because he stuck to the point.

LOWERING THE FLAG.

The Regulation Method of Half Mast-

The method of showing honor to the dead through the position of the flag, placing it at half mast—it is termed in naval circles, in the army, at half staff—is described in article 41, paragraph 428, of the United States army regulations as follows:

agraph 428, of the United States army regulations as follows:
"Where the flag is displayed at half staff it is lowered to that position from the top of the staff. It is afterward hoisted to the top before it is finally lowered."
"At millions posits" said a second

"At military posts," said a sergeaut of the army recruiting station, "where the dag staff is planted in the ground the flag staff is planted in the ground it is usually in two sections and about eighty feet high. When the flag is placed at half staff it is customary to lower it to the middle of the upper section, which in this case is considered the staff. At forts and other posts where flags are on top of buildings the flag, when placed at half staff, is hanging from the middle of the staff, the central point of the flag, the lower corner of star section coinciding with a point midway between the top and bottom of the staff."

bottom of the staff."
"When a flag is placed at half mast in the navy." said a lieutenant of the United States naval recruiting station "the distance between the top of flag and the top of the mast is made to equal approximately the distance be-tween the bottom of the flag and the base of the mast,

An inspector was examining a very youthful class of Scotch boys, and youthful class of Scotch boys, and among other subjects he requested the teacher to ask her pupils a few questions in nature knowledge. Desiring her class to do her honor, she decided upon the shaple subject, "Chickens."

"Now, children," she said, "I want you to tell me something very wander ful about chickens."

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ful about chickens."
"How the? get out of their shells,"
promptly responded one little fellow.
"Well," said the teacher, "that is of
course wonderful, but I mean some
thing more wonderful still."

There was a slience for a few sec-onds. Then up spoke little Johnny "Please, ma'am, it's mair wonderful hoo they ever got intae their shells."

Ready For the Dollar. Marjorle, aged nine, had not beer

Marjorie, aged nine, had not occur having very satisfactory reports from school. Her father finally said, "Mar-jorie, for the first hundred you get I'll give you a dollar." Time went on, and the reward could not be claimed. One day the child was taken violently ill. Her mother sent for the doctor. When, he had youe Marjorie said. One day the child was taken violently ill. Her mother sent for the doctor When he had gone Marjorle said. "Mamma, am I very 1117"

"No. dear; your temperature is a lit-tle over a hundred, but the doctor thinks you will be all right in a day or

Smiles broke through Marjorie's

tears.
"Now,-mamma, I can have my dol-lar. Papa said be would give it to me if I could get a hundred in anything."

Woman's Way.

When a man goes out to buy a coltar he comes back with a coltar and perhaps a necktle or two. When a woman starts out to buy a coltar she returns exhausted with a new silk waist, a pair of gloves, some skirt binding, a cake of soap, a paper of plus, some window curtains, a sewing machine and a refrigerator.

Realism.

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Having taken over J. A. Renaud's business I desire to announce to the public that it is my intention to at once improve the premises and stock in many ways and make it a place where all can find amusement and recreation at all times and invite every person to come in and enjoy themselves at billiards, pool, etc.

The best brands of cigars, tobaccos, etc., will be found here, as well as a fresh stock of fruit and candies. The ice cream parlors will be supplied with only the best, and the soft drinks will include all of the latest and most refreshing. Come and see

E. URCH, Proprietor.

Some Queer Ways of Landseekers

There are some peculiar people among the land-seekers coming west. A few weeks ago a couple of carloads got off at Gleichen from somewhere-no matter where. But along about 8:30 that evening four of them entered this palacial sanctum and asked:

Say, can you tell us where we can get a good dinner for twenty-five cents?" Gleichen that I am sure would go 50 "No" said the scribe. "That I can't bushels to the scre." do. It is rather late to get anything at the hotels where they charge thirty five you think on the strength of that you cents, but at the restaurant you can get could give a little more than two-bits a good meal from thirty-five upwards." for a meal?"

awful hungry," remarked one landseeker and they started to go.

"Have you been to see our farms yet?" asked the scribe.

"Yes" "Well, did you see anything bette than where you came from?"

"Oh, yes, why last year I had 27 bushels of oats to the acre in our country and that was considered a big crop there Buttoday I. saw wheat just out from

"Well," said the scribe, "Don't you

"That's too much for a meal, I am The landseckers had gone.

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Cold nights and hot days.

The Call from now on to the end ext year only \$1.50.

The potato crop is now being harested and it is a dandy,

Oct. 14 and 15 will be red letter days n the history of Gleichen.

Haven't you got something that will beat your neighbor at the exhibition?

Mrs. Didsbury, who has been ill for sometime is now at Banff trying the hot springs for her ailments.

The Call hopes to appear a day earler next week than usual in order that the staff muy attend the fair.

C. A. Millie was called to Medicine Hat Monday afternoon, owing to the serious illness of his little girl.

Messrs Barber & Perrault have me perially improved the Alberta Feed & Sales stables with a coat of paint.

The trails are black with farmers lauling grain to town, and vet they are but the advance guards of the many to

S. H Firth, the painter, is a busy man these days and is offering bargains in wall paper never before heard of in this Meality.

D. C. Wishart is preparing to add an ddition to his Livery, Feed and Sales stables, which his ever increasing busnese demands.

The Sarnia Livery Stables is having in office built to the south side of the stable, which will add materially to the appearance of the property'.

That grade to the south side of the new bridge to still very much needed and the government cannot have i dnished too quickly. Thousands c of bushels of grain are ready to comover it, as soon as it is passable.

For the convenience of their clients i and surrounding Gleichen, Messrs Short, Ross & Selwood, barristers, o Calgary, have decided to open a branct f their law office at Gleichen, wher me member of their firm can be con sulted on Invidue afternoon and We needs morning of each week.

The nighty "lope" hunters returned o town about 3 a m. Ivesterday and report [dead antilope as follows: [C. J Bray 1, W. H. James 1, A. R. Yates 1 and T. H. Beach I and I jackrabbit, A oder for half a page of The Call ha wen received in which to tell the stoout it cannot be given this issue.

S. D. Milliken has been changing the lesign of the Gleichen Hotel wet gro ery department for D. Gillespie, which s now ten feet longer and the bar being turned on the west side and that much longer makes a wonderful improvement. Mr. Milliken has done line and is receiving many compliments.

"Gliken" is the more proper pro nunciation of Gleichen, according to the Germane, and as many have confounded the word with Galacians it has been proposed in future to fine all persons in this town who do not pronounce is "Gliken" the drinks for the house Who seconds the proposition? If pass ed, gee, would't it make a great ba

Gleichen's new Methodist church is a credit to Gleichen. The first services and the formal opening will be held next Sanday morning at 11 s. m. when the Ray J. P. Berry, B. A., of Langdon, will conduct the services assisted by Rev. Cyril Easom and Rev. Mr. Lee. Mr. Berry will also preach at 7:30 that evening, while Mr. Easom will conduct special children's service in the afternoon at 2.30. All are heartily welcomed and special collections will be taken on behalf of the church building fund.

The marriage of Harold D. Kelley of Little Fish Lake, and Miss Mable Horn er, of Eldersfield. Rectory England was solomnised at the church of the Redeemer in Calgary on Sept. 30th. The officiating clergy were, the Rev. Mr. Peak, late of Red Deer River, and the Rev. Dean Paget .. The bride was given away by A. H. Welch, Esq. of Millarville, with Miss Dorothy Waliace acting as bridesmaid. The bridegroom was supported by Mr. J. O. Tremaine in 'the capacity of best man. After a reception the bride and bridegroom were, given a hearty send off on a trip to the moun

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PUBLIC NOTICE

District Court at Gleichen, Oct. 14th

CE-The next Sitting of the dicteben will open on Wed-he 14th, 1908.

B. B. WOODS, Deputy Attorney General.

MISCELLANEOUS

Miss C. McArthur is prepared to take a lew pupils for instruction in music. Apply to her at the Gleichen Hotel.

SITUATION wanted for draining garden work by experienced man Apply to J. Childs, Medicine Hat.

FOR SALE--Seed Speltz, 2,000 bushels that yielded 60 bu, to the acrethis year, Apply at once to Roy A. Allen.

LOST-From C. P. R. Survey Camp-north of Strathmore, last June, one bay horse, branded Z.-E on the left shoulder. \$10 read will be paid for the return of same to C. P. R. Head-quarters, Strathmore.

ESTRAY- From town, Buckekin Pony, black main and tail, hog main and barged tail, two white feet, branded with anvil on left hip. \$2 Reward on application to Geo. Wakefield.

DRESSMAKING, Plain Sewing, also Ladies and Children's Hats made and trimmed by Mrs. Little, 2nd door east of school, Gleichen. 24

FOR SALE - War grant of 320 acres, at two dollars per. Captain Cooper, Box 412, Calgary, Alberta. Please answer quickly and pick your land.

FOR SALE in Gleichen: House (new) containing 2 good rooms, pantry, (lothes closet and large cellar; also 8 double stable with hav loft over; with 2 lots of ground situated in good position. B. M. Fraser. 17

New subscribers can have The Call for \$1.50 from now to Dec. 31, 1909.

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